



**CITY OF LODI  
COUNCIL COMMUNICATION**

**AGENDA TITLE:** Adopt Resolution Approving Art in Public Places Funding for Traffic Control Box Art Project and Appropriating Funds (\$500)

**MEETING DATE:** September 19, 2012

**PREPARED BY:** Parks, Recreation and Cultural Services Interim Director

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:** Adopt resolution approving Art in Public Places funding for traffic control box art project and appropriating funds in the amount of \$500.

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION:** The Art Advisory Board seeks ways to bring art to the public through the Art in Public Places Fund, which is funded by the development impact mitigation fee program.

Utility boxes are used for public artwork in some other California cities, such as Santa Cruz and San Jose. In March, the Board discussed opportunities to decorate Lodi's utility boxes in a similar fashion. Transportation Manager Paula Fernandez attended the group's May meeting and endorsed the idea of using traffic control boxes as canvases for public art. The Board voted at that meeting to approve using AiPP funds for that purpose.

Examples of painted utility boxes are attached.

Five sites have been selected for the first phase of the art project. They are the traffic control boxes at the corners of:


- Mills and Turner roads
- Lower Sacramento Road and Lodi Avenue
- Pine Street and Cherokee Lane
- Hale Road and Cherokee Lane
- Costco corner at Harney Lane and Reynolds Ranch Parkway

Electric Utility boxes containing switches or padmount transformers are not suitable for this project because they require a special non-conductive paint for safety purposes.

A call to artists will take place following City Council approval. Submitted designs will be reviewed and selected by the Art Advisory Board. Each design group will be given up to \$100 for painting supplies.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** Not to exceed \$500.

**FUNDING AVAILABLE:** \$168,000 as of June 30, 2012 in acct. 01214.

  
Jordan Ayers, Deputy City Manager

APPROVED:

  
Konradt Bartlam, City Manager

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JEFF HOOD  
Parks, Recreation and Cultural Services Interim Director

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*Attachments*



**Four Season's Trout**  
Beth Bramhall  
Orange/Front/Main  
Paint (Autumn 2009)



**Missoula is Magical**  
Jill Logan  
Broadway & Higgins  
Paint (Autumn 2009)



**Lunch on the Grass**  
Courtney Blazon  
Broadway & Ryman  
Vinyl (Autumn 2009)



**The Old Train Station**  
Richard Scott Morgan  
Higgins & 4<sup>th</sup>  
Paint (Autumn 2009)



**Popcorn**  
Paula Goldberg  
Brooks & Mullan  
Paint (Autumn 2009)



**Bronc Rider's Dance**  
William Burwick  
Brooks & South/Russell  
Vinyl (Autumn 2009)



**A Fine & Pleasant Day**  
Bev Glueckert  
Orange & Spruce  
Paint (Spring 2010)



**Missoula Waterways**  
Laurie Lane  
Broadway & Scott  
Vinyl (Spring 2010)



**Mother Nature**  
Jill Logan  
Brooks/Oxford/Sussex  
Paint (Spring 2010)



**Alternative Transportation**  
Josh Quick  
Broadway & Toole  
Vinyl (Spring 2010)



**Artist's Collage**  
Nelson Kenter  
Broadway & Van Buren  
Vinyl (Spring 2010)



**Parfleche**  
Molly Murphy  
Broadway & Madison  
Paint (Spring 2010)



**Bright Morning**  
Stoney Sasser  
Reserve & 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Paint (Spring 2010)



**Our Community-Missoula**  
Josh Quick  
Higgins & 5<sup>th</sup>  
Vinyl (Spring 2010)



**Skateboarding**  
Athena Lonsdale  
Orange & 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Vinyl (Spring 2010)



**Missoula - The Garden City**  
Christy Greene  
Brooks & Reserve  
Vinyl (Fall 2010)



**Busy Bodies**  
M. Scott Miller  
Brooks & Southgate Mall  
Paint (Fall 2010)



**A Perspective on Trees**  
Kiv Herring  
Stephens & Mount  
Paint (Fall 2010)



**Osprey Surfing the River**  
Amber Bushnell  
Broadway & Orange  
Vinyl (Fall 2010)



**Past Time**  
Rebecca Weed  
Broadway & Pattee  
Paint (Fall 2010)



**Biking to Missoula**  
Greg Siple  
Higgins & Spruce  
Vinyl (Fall 2010)



**Digital Organics: An Exploration of Earth's Wildlife**  
Michael Greytak  
Brooks & Stephens  
Vinyl (Fall 2010)



**Fancy Elk**  
Amber Bushnell  
39<sup>th</sup> & Reserve  
Vinyl (Spring 2011)



**Long May the Wilderness Be Wild**  
Kip Sikora  
39<sup>th</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup>  
Vinyl (Spring 2011)



***Iris*** in the Spring  
Stoney Sasser  
39" and Russell  
Acrylic (Spring 2011)



***Untitled***  
Max Mahn  
39" / Stephens/ High Park  
Vinyl (Spring 2011)



***A Quilted Heritage***  
Missoula Electric Quilters  
South & Johnson  
Vinyl (Spring 2011)



Missoula ***Quilted***  
Missoula Electric Quilters  
Higgins & 6"  
Vinyl (Spring 2011)

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2. JV# \_\_\_\_\_

**CITY OF LODI  
APPROPRIATION ADJUSTMENT REQUEST**

3. FROM: PRCS Interim Director 5. DATE: 9/6/12

**6. REQUEST ADJUSTMENT OF APPROPRIATION AS LISTED BELOW**

	FUND #	BUS. UNIT #	ACCOUNT #	ACCOUNT TITLE	AMOUNT
A. SOURCE OF FINANCING	1214		3205	Fund Balance	\$ 500.00
B. USE OF FINANCING	1214	1214016	1836.2300	Traffic Control Box Art Project	\$ 500.00

**7. REQUEST IS MADE TO FUND THE FOLLOWING PROJECT NOT INCLUDED IN THE CURRENT BUDGET**

Please provide a description of the project, the total cost of the project, as well as justification for the requested adjustment. If you need more space, use an additional sheet and attach to this form.

At the recommendation of the Art Advisory Board, Art in Public Places funds will be used to paint five traffic control boxes at various locations in the City as recommended by the Transportation Manager. The budget is \$100 for paint/supplies per box. The Art Advisory Board will issue a call to artists following City Council appropriation.

If Council has authorized the appropriation adjustment, complete the following:

Meeting Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Res No: \_\_\_\_\_ Attach copy of resolution to this form.

Department Head Signature: 

**8. APPROVAL SIGNATURES**

Deputy City Manager/Internal Services Manager \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Submit completed form to the Budget Division with any required documentation.  
Final approval will be provided in electronic copy format.

RESOLUTION NO. 2012-148

A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL  
APPROVING ART IN PUBLIC PLACES FUNDING FOR  
TRAFFIC CONTROL BOX ART PROJECT AS RECOMMENDED  
BY THE ART ADVISORY BOARD

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WHEREAS, public displays of art enhance a community and improve the quality of life for its residents; and

WHEREAS, the Art in Public Places Fund is funded through development impact fees and not General Fund dollars.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Lodi City Council that \$500 is hereby appropriated from the Art in Public Places Fund to fund the traffic control box art project.

Dated: September 19, 2012

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I hereby certify that Resolution No. 2012-148 was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Lodi in a regular meeting held September 19, 2012, by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – Johnson, Katzakian, Nakanishi, and  
Mayor Mounce

NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None

ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS – Hansen

ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None

  
RANDI JOHL  
City Clerk